

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : HACKER et al.  
Serial No. : 09/371,769  
Filing Date : 10 August 1999  
For : HERBICIDAL COMPOSITIONS FOR TOLERANT OR RESISTANT  
COTTON CROPS  
Examiner : PRYOR, Alton  
Art Unit : 1616

745 Fifth Avenue  
New York, NY 10151

REQUEST FOR THREE (3) MONTH  
SUSPENSION OF ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.103(c)

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

An Amendment After Non-Final Rejection is being filed concurrently with this request for suspension. The applicants hereby request a three (3) month suspension of time from the filing date of this request (expiration date of 30 September 2008). The fee for this request under 37 CFR 1.17(i) will be paid electronically. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 50-0320.

Respectfully submitted,  
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